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Attorney Docket: 15162/04270

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to IMAGING APPARATUS, Yoshihiro HARA and Rieko IZUME, inventors:

- (1) Specification (70 pages, including 21 claims and an abstract);
- (3) Formal Drawings (20 sheets);
- (4) Transmittal letter (1 page) with PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data (2 pages); and
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